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from San Francisco for three years, ending 31st December, 1858:

	1853.	1857.	1856.
To New York....	\$35,578,236	\$35,287,778	\$39,765,294
England.....	9,297,739	9,347,748	8,666,289
New Orleans....	313,000	244,000	130,000
Panama.....	299,265	410,929	253,268
China.....	1,916,007	2,993,264	1,303,852
Sandwich Is'ls	96,672	86,803	241,450
Manilla.....	49,975	278,920	133,265
Australia.....	631	32,000	56,518
Mexico.....	14,500	41,500	.....
Chile.....	11,500	33,479	11,398
Society Islands	2,000	.....	5,300
Vancouver "	500	.....	.....
Other parts...	.....	220,296	125,800

Total.....\$47,548,025 \$48,976,697 \$50,697,434

The amount of California gold deposited at the United States mint and branches to the close of the year ending 30th June, 1858, has been as follows:

	U. S. Mint at Philadelphia	Branch Mint at San Francisco	Branch Mint at New Orleans	Branch Mint at Charlotte	Branch Mint at Dahlonega	Assay Office at New York
Total.....	\$228,212,027	\$92,543,133	\$22,064,901	\$87,321	\$1,230,006	\$50,336,850

—making a grand total of \$424,464,210. During the same term of years, the amount of silver parted from the gold at all the mints was \$3,001,577.

## IMMIGRATION INTO THE UNITED STATES.

In compliance with the act of Congress of 3d March, 1855, the Secretary of State has transmitted to that body a statement of the number, sex, age and occupations of passengers arriving by sea from foreign countries, during the year ending 31st December, 1858; together with the country in which they were born, the country of their intended residence, and the number that died on the passage. From this paper we abstract the following interesting details of the movement:

### 1.—ARRIVAL OF PASSENGERS IN 1858.

Places.	Males.	Fem's.	Sex not stated.	Total.
Portland, Me.....	490	188	9	687
Passamaquoddy, Me.....	367	98	..	465
Portsmouth, N. H. ....	17	19	..	36
Boston, Mass.....	5,635	3,712	..	9,347
Edgartown, Mass.....	27	11	..	38
Fall River, Mass.....	4	9	..	13
New Bedford, Mass.....	104	26	..	130
Bristol and Warren, R. I ..	3	..	..	3
Providence, R. I.....	27	31	..	58
New York city, N. Y.....	62,243	39,399	..	101,642
Oswego, N. Y.....	828	264	..	1,092
Detroit, Mich.....	1,594	1,456	..	3,050
Philadelphia, Penn.....	1,270	1,321	..	2,591
Baltimore, Md.....	2,101	1,885	..	3,986
Newbern, N. C.....	2	1	..	3
Charleston, S. C.....	753	271	..	1,024
Key West, Fla.....	438	87	..	525
Mobile, Ala.....	65	31	..	96
New Orleans, La.....	8,091	5,157	291	13,539
Galveston, Texas.....	275	222	..	497
La Salle, Texas.....	16	17	..	33
San Francisco, Cal.....	5,298	499	..	5,797
Total.....	89,648	54,704	300	144,652

### 2.—DIED ON THE PASSAGE

To	Males.	Females.	Total.
Boston.....	4	3	7
New York city.....	106	94	200
Philadelphia.....	3	1	4
Baltimore.....	3	3	6
New Orleans.....	22	15	37
Total.....	138	116	254

### 3.—AGES OF PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

Age.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Under 5 years of age.....	5,219	5,134	10,353
Between 5 years of age and 10.....	4,451	3,935	8,186
" 10 ".....	15.. 3,916	3,459	7,375
" 15 ".....	20.. 12,296	11,036	23,332
" 20 ".....	25.. 18,273	11,265	29,538
" 25 ".....	30.. 17,601	7,570	25,371
" 30 ".....	35.. 9,952	3,833	13,785
" 35 ".....	40.. 7,652	3,243	10,895
40 years of age and upward.....	10,277	5,268	15,545
Age not stated.....	149	77	526
Age nor sex stated.....	.....	.....	300
Total.....	89,786	54,820	144,906

## 4.—COUNTRY IN WHICH BORN.

Countries.	Sex not stated.			Total.
	Males.	Fem's.	Sex not stated.	
England .....	9,032	5,546	..	14,638
Ireland .....	14,299	12,574	..	26,873
Scotland .....	1,134	812	..	1,946
Wales .....	189	127	..	316
Great Britain .....	6,793	5,253	..	12,056
British America .....	2,908	1,695	..	4,603
Portugal .....	109	68	..	177
Spain .....	1,108	174	..	1,282
France .....	2,134	1,021	..	3,155
Italy .....	689	200	..	889
Germany .....	23,901	19,390	..	42,291
Turkey .....	16	1	..	17
Sicily .....	59	35	..	94
Sardinia .....	167	90	..	257
Holland .....	128	57	..	185
Prussia .....	1,705	1,314	..	3,019
Belgium .....	118	66	..	184
Denmark .....	136	96	..	232
Norway and Sweden .....	1,293	1,137	..	2,430
Poland .....	6	3	..	9
Russia .....	135	111	..	246
Switzerland .....	653	403	..	1,056
Mexico .....	286	143	..	429
West Indies .....	518	129	..	647
South America .....	89	42	..	131
Central America .....	8	3	..	11
China .....	4,803	320	..	5,123
Australia .....	28	4	..	32
East Indies .....	2	3	..	5
Sandwich Islands .....	4	..	..	4
Cape Verde Islands .....	2	..	..	2
Madeira Islands .....	5	7	..	12
Azores .....	193	96	..	289
Malta .....	2	..	..	2
Africa .....	10	7	..	17
United States .....	16,962	4,818	..	21,780
Not stated .....	92	70	300	462
Total .....	89,786	54,820	300	144,906
Born in the United States .....	16,962	4,818	..	21,780
Aliens .....	72,824	50,002	300	123,126

## 5.—OCCUPATIONS OF PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

	Sex not stated.			Total.
	Males.	Females.	Sex not stated.	
Merchants .....	10,217	..	..	10,217
Mechanics .....	11,995	..	..	11,995
Mariners .....	1,109	..	..	1,109
Miners .....	4,254	..	..	4,254
Engineers .....	165	..	..	165
Clergymen .....	132	..	..	132
Farmers .....	20,506	..	..	20,506
Clerks .....	259	..	..	259
Butchers .....	38	..	..	38
Bakers .....	74	..	..	74
Physicians .....	178	..	..	178
Lawyers .....	113	..	..	113
Masons .....	68	..	..	68
Manufacturers .....	74	..	..	74
Artists .....	44	1	..	45
Laborers .....	22,317	..	..	22,317
Millers .....	39	..	..	39
Tailors .....	156	..	..	156
Seamstresses and milliners .....	..	261	..	261
Weavers and spinners .....	40	40	..	80
Painters .....	31	..	..	31

## OCCUPATIONS OF PASSENGERS—CONTINUED.

Shoemakers .....	117	..	..	117
Musicians .....	84	31	..	115
Teachers .....	45	1	..	46
Printers .....	19	..	..	19
Actors and actresses .....	27	6	..	33
Hatters .....	3	..	..	3
Servants .....	53	1,089	..	1,142
Other occupations .....	446	5	..	451
Occupation not stated .....	17,183	53,386	..	70,569
Occupation nor sex stated .....	..	..	..	300
Total .....	89,786	54,820	..	144,906

## 6.—TOTAL ARRIVALS, DEATHS AND EMBARKATIONS, ETC.

	Sex not stated.			Total.
	Males.	Fem's.	Sex not stated.	
Arrivals in the United States .....	89,648	54,704	300	144,652
Died on the voyage .....	138	116	..	254

Total number embarking at foreign ports for the United States during the year .....	89,786	54,820	300	144,906
In transit .....	2,747	1,248	..	3,995

Net gain to U. S. .... 87,039 53,572 300 140,911

## 7.—PROGRESS OF IMMIGRATION.

## A.—Arrivals from 1790 to 1843.

Years.	Arrivals.	Years.	Arrivals.
1790 to 1800 .....	50,000	1830-31 .....	23,074
1800 to 1810 .....	70,000	1831-32 .....	45,278
1810 to 1820 .....	114,000	1832-33 .....	56,547
1820-21 .....	5,993	1833-34 .....	65,335
1821-22 .....	7,329	1834-35 .....	52,899
1822-23 .....	6,749	1835-36 .....	62,473
1823-24 .....	7,088	1836-37 .....	78,083
1824-25 .....	8,532	1837-38 .....	59,363
1825-26 .....	10,151	1838-39 .....	52,163
1826-27 .....	12,418	1839-40 .....	84,146
1827-28 .....	26,114	1840-41 .....	83,504
1828-29 .....	24,459	1841-42 .....	101,107
1829-30 .....	27,153	1842-43 .....	75,159
Total 1790-1843 .....	1,209,126		

## B.—Arrivals from 1843 to 1858.

Years ending.	No. of Sex not stated.			Total.
	Males.	Females.	Sex not stated.	
30 Sept. 1844 .....	48,897	35,867	..	84,764
" 1845 .....	69,179	49,311	1,406	119,896
" 1846 .....	90,974	66,778	897	158,649
" 1847 .....	139,167	99,353	990	239,482
" 1848 .....	136,128	92,883	472	229,483
" 1849 .....	179,256	119,915	512	299,683
" 1850 .....	200,904	113,392	1,038	315,234
3 months. 1850 .....	38,282	27,107	181	65,570
31 Dec. 1851 .....	245,017	163,745	66	408,828
" 1852 .....	235,731	160,174	1,438	397,343
" 1853 .....	236,732	164,178	72	400,982
" 1854 .....	284,887	175,587	..	460,474
" 1855 .....	140,181	90,283	12	230,476
" 1856 .....	135,308	89,188	..	224,496
" 1857 .....	162,538	109,020	..	271,558
" 1858 .....	89,648	54,704	300	144,652
Total .....	2,432,829	1,611,457	7,384	4,051,670
Tot. fm 1790 to '43 .....	1,209,126			1,209,126

GRAND TOTAL from 1790 to 1858 .... 5,260,796

## 8.—ORIGIN OF IMMIGRANTS, 1820-1850.

(Exclusive of Americans returned from abroad.)

Countries.	1820 to 1835.	1836 to 1850.	Total 1820 to 1850	In U. S. Census of 1850.
England....	21,595	33,945	55,540	278,675
Wales.....	347	1,269	1,616	29,868
Scotland...	5,658	3,901	9,559	70,555
Ireland.....	50,304	168,322	218,626	961,719
Not stated..	108,362	1,019,078	1,127,440	.....
U. Kingdom..	186,266	1,226,515	1,412,781	1,340,812
France.....	26,638	105,076	131,714	54,069
Spain.....	3,565	43,385	6,950	3,113
Portugal....	891	668	1,559	1,274
Belgium.....	33	5,091	5,124	1,313
Prussia.....	433	16,092	16,525	10,549
Germany....	52,868	525,396	578,264	574,171
Holland.....	1,757	9,036	10,790	9,848
Denmark....	467	1,324	1,791	1,838
Swed. & Nor..	569	14,689	15,198	16,237
Poland.....	164	331	495	See Russia.
Russia.....	325	592	917	1,414
Turkey.....	23	64	87	106
Switzerland..	6,020	6,702	12,722	13,358
Greece.....	29	56	85	86
Italy & Malta..	2,339	2,336	4,675	2,679
Other Coun- tries of Continental Europe....	2	51	53	....
Total Conti't.	96,063	690,886	786,949	691,055
B. America..	6,677	51,156	57,833	147,711
S. America..	1,004	3,973	4,977	1,543
Cent'l Amer..	147	372	519	141
Mexico.....	9,033	5,655	14,688	13,317
West Indies..	9,528	20,299	29,827	3,772
Tot. Amer..	26,389	81,455	107,844	168,484
Asia.....	46	99	145	1,135
Africa and Oceanica..	546	500	1,046	1,139
All other....	...	...	...	8,214
Tot. Asia etc..	592	599	1,191	10,488

## Recapitulation, 1820-1850.

U. King'm..	186,266	1,226,515	1,412,781	1,340,812
Continent...	96,063	690,886	786,949	691,055
Europe...	282,329	1,917,401	2,199,730	2,031,867
America...	26,389	81,455	107,844	168,484
Asia, etc...	592	599	1,191	10,488
Grand Total.	309,310	1,999,455	2,308,765	2,210,839

The total immigration of aliens to the end of 1858 has been:

Countries.	1820 to 1850.	1851 to 1858.	1820 to 1858.
England.....	55,540	220,298	275,838
Wales.....	1,616	5,377	6,993
Scotland.....	9,559	34,425	43,984
Ireland.....	218,626	664,837	883,513
Unclassed.....	1,127,440	273,353	1,400,793
United Kingdom.	1,412,781	1,198,340	2,611,121

## TABLE OF IMMIGRATION—CONTINUED.

France.....	131,714	63,818	195,532
Spain.....	6,950	6,963	13,933
Portugal.....	1,559	887	2,446
Belgium.....	5,124	4,664	9,788
Prussia.....	16,525	37,673	54,198
Germany.....	578,264	817,619	1,395,883
Holland.....	10,790	10,148	20,938
Denmark.....	1,791	2,708	4,499
Sweden and Norway.	15,198	19,562	34,760
Poland.....	495	976	1,471
Russia.....	917	301	1,218
Turkey.....	87	69	156
Switzerland.....	12,722	23,265	35,987
Greece.....	85	29	114
Italy and Malta....	4,675	7,284	11,959
Other Countries....	53	...	53
Continental Europe..	786,949	995,966	1,782,935
British America....	57,833	50,632	108,465
South America.....	4,977	861	5,838
Central America....	519	937	956
Mexico.....	14,688	2,584	17,272
West Indies.....	29,827	6,397	36,224
America.....	107,844	62,911	170,755
Asia.....	145	32,518	32,663
Africa and Oceanica..	1,046	2,516	3,562
All other Countries..	...	22,234	22,234

Grand Total.. 2,308,765 2,314,505 4,623,270

The above statement shows the number of persons of foreign birth, living in the United States in 1850, to be 2,210,839, and that the whole number of arrivals for a period of 30 years, prior to that date, to be 2,308,767. As it is by no means probable that only 97,528 deaths had occurred in this number in the meantime, there must, consequently, be some error, either in the census or in the records of the arrivals. It is altogether probable that the error is to be looked for in the census, as it is scarcely possible that there should be any considerable error in the number of passengers arriving, as the captain of each vessel is, by law, required to furnish a list of passengers, all of whom of foreign birth are subject to a capitation fee.

## COMMERCE OF PORTO RICO.

The following statement for 1856 and 1857 are from official returns:

	1856.	1857.
Value of Imports.....	\$6,571,159	\$7,999,006
" of Exports.....	5,371,804	4,429,349
Vessels arrived—No.....	1,375	1,454
Tonnage of vessels—tons....	184,526	176,921
Duties on exports and imports.	\$1,125,743	\$1,251,444
" on tonnage.....	126,446	109,836